UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS DALLAS DIVISION

CURTIS D. BENSON,)	
Petitioner,)	
)	CIVIL ACTION NO.
VS.)	
)	3:11-CV-1795-G (BD)
RICK THALER, Director, Texas)	
Department of Criminal Justice,)	
Correctional Institutions Division,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

ORDER

After conducting a review of the pleadings, files and records in this case, and the findings and recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1), I am of the opinion that the findings and recommendation of the magistrate judge regarding *in forma pauperis* status are correct, and they are hereby accepted as the findings of the court. Accordingly, petitioner's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* (docket entry 7) is **DENIED**. Petitioner is ordered to pay the \$5.00 statutory filing fee within 20 days after the date of this order. If he fails to do so, this case will be dismissed without further notice.

SO ORDERED.

September 20, 2011.

A. JOE FISH

Senior United States District Judge